





## The Crittenden Press

ISSUED WEEKLY.

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The Third Party comet does not appear in the Ohio political skies.

It is a "poor house" indeed and truth, that this county has.

The farmers of Crittenden are putting more intelligence in their work than ever before.

A county poor-house should not be a palace, nor should it be a hotel, filled with filth, rats and vermin.

The Princeton Banner issued a handsome trade edition last week. It was a credit to its publishers, and Princeton ought to be proud of it.

The English syndicate that owns Middleboro has decided to spend an additional \$1,250,000 in adding to the substantial qualities of the famous city.

We are indebted to the Frankfort Capital for a copy of the New Constitution in the shape of a supplement to that entertaining paper. It seems that Walter Evans has not commented the irrepressible public printer.

Mr. W. H. Asher deserves some credit for stirring up the poor-house matter. He knows a thing when he sees it, and is not doubtful about telling it when it comes in the line of duty. The magistrates ought to have kept him as Superintendent and raised his salary.

Indianapolis, Ind., went Democratic at the city election Tuesday by majorities ranging from 1500 to 3000. It was a hotly contested campaign, and the winners are mighty proud. Indiana, however, is good at going Democratic, except in Presidential elections.

The Kentucky Court of Appeals has affirmed the decision of the Green county court in assessing a fine of \$500 against the L. & N. railroad company for constructing railroad on Sunday. It is gratifying to note that Kentucky still respects a few of the great Ten Commandments.

Melbourne, the rain maker, has contracted to furnish next summer's supply of rain for a large scope of country in Northwest Kansas. He gets ten cents per acre for the territory supplied. Evidently there are a great many fools congregated in some sections of this country.

The Mayfield Mirror tells the following plaintive story, which may prove interesting to a couple of individuals in this section:

"John Ball, the negro from Bowling Green, who was charged with stealing a coat from a railroad coach and his trial, yesterday evening, and was convicted and given twenty lashes."

The Madisonville Hustler uses no circumlocution in coming to the point. It says: "We hope the next legislature will pass a whipping post law applicable to the whole State. A cow-hide or a good stout lurcher with the victim tied to a post, would have more to do with stopping petty thieving than all the fines and rock piles in creation."

Many of the public roads have been worked well and the work has been intelligently done. When a few overcast, lashed by spirited hands, get out of the lazy, time-killing ways, things begin to look more cheerful. Other will follow, and by and by the time will come when it cannot be truthfully said: "We have got the worst roads in the world."

Already test cases are beginning to bob up to try the metal of the new constitution. Monday, Montgomery county voted in favor of a \$100,000 subscription to the stock of a proposed railroad. The stoppage of such things is one of the cardinal virtues of the new constitution. A judicial test will be made in the case to see whether the people are the sovereigns or the railroads king in this State.

A number of newspapers of the State are advocating the provision, by the railroad companies, of special coaches for the negroes. Some of the Southern states have adopted this plan. The coaches provided for the colored brother are in all respects equal to those for the other race. There are no reasons why Kentuckians, white or black, should object to the measure, and it certainly would avoid many unpleasant occurrences.

The Hon. Walter Evans has brought suit to test the constitutionality of the new constitution. He claims that the adjourned session had no right to change the original document as voted upon by the people. As many of the changes made showed features that Mr. Evans objected to in the original, unthinking people might feel that he is afflicted with a desire for notoriety, or a superabundance of patriotism, or an attorney's fee.

## THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

THE LEVY FOR 1892 FIXED \$2.50 POLL 10 CENTS ADVELORUM.

The Salaries and Other Claims Allowed by the Court.

The following Magistrates were in attendance:

J. H. Bugg, W. M. Morgan, J. R. Jackson, Theo. Vosier, C. W. Fox, T. A. Hopwood, L. A. Lattue, J. W. Ainsworth, W. B. Rankin, J. C. Stephenson, W. H. Arfleck, F. J. Imboden, G. F. Williams and W. E. Todd.

Motion to release J. A. Hudspeth and G. N. Moore from paying poll-tax was lost.

Jas. Millican was released from poll-tax.

Ed. Wring was released from road work.

It is ordered by the court that all road claims for plow and team, wagon and team and scrapers on public roads, when properly certified and reported by the surveyors of road be and they are hereby allowed at \$1.50 per day, "except pressed teams."

Mike Flagg allowed \$12 for amount expended for burial of Walcutt, W. R. Latham allowed \$179.52 for balance due for keeping paupers from Oct. 13, 1890, to Jan. 1, 1891.

Wm S. Woolson released from road work.

\$20 each were allowed for benefit of Evana Holloman and Sydney Jones, pauper idiots.

Dr. J. R. Clark allowed \$11 for medical services rendered Bruton and Ryan.

Drs. J. R. Clark and J. W. Crawford allowed \$10 for medical services rendered John Crow.

J. R. Clark allowed \$75 for services as health officer.

Jemima Roy allowed \$25 to aid her in making support.

J. A. Hudspeth released from paying poll tax for 4 years.

W. H. Dabson released from poll tax and road work.

J. L. Rankin allowed \$1.65 for time etc., for poor house.

It is ordered that the Superintendent of the poor-house be and he is directed to see that the paupers at the poor-house, are provided with suitable clothing; if the keeper fails or refuses to do so, then the Superintendent is authorized to procure same, and charge to the account of the keeper.

L. W. Cruge allowed \$7.75 for bridge lumber.

It is ordered that a sum not exceeding \$200 be appropriated to repair Livingston creek bridge.

A. J. Pickens allowed \$87.50 account The report of J. W. Blue for commissioner for Livingston creek bridge was received and the work done approved.

F. J. Imboden allowed \$10 for services as bridge commissioner.

The report of J. H. Clifton, bridge commissioner, was received.

J. A. Moore, commissioner for Willard bridge, filed report, and commissioner directed to borrow money to pay for bridge.

A. B. Shreve released from road work.

J. W. Crawford allowed \$2 for medicine for prisoner.

M. G. Gilbert released from paying poll tax.

C. W. Fox directed to have Pace ford bridge repaired.

J. J. Dennett allowed \$5.50 for pauper coffin.

J. W. Crawford allowed \$25 for medical services rendered CW Butler Marion Bank allowed \$30 for discharging school draft.

\$30 was appropriated for bridge on Montezuma and Shady Grove road J. A. Moore, J. W. Blue, Jr., and P. S. Maxwell were appointed commissioners to sell poor-house farm and re-invest proceeds in property within two miles of Marion.

R. L. Lynne allowed \$6 for two pauper coffins.

Dr. Swope allowed \$3 for medical attention to prisoners.

J. W. Blue, Jr. reported the old clerk's office rented to Marion Bank for 1891 for \$105. Judge Moore was authorized to rent same for 1892.

Jas. Black released from poll tax.

Tom Brown, col., released from poll tax.

J. W. Adams was allowed \$272.70 jailer's fees.

W. C. M. Travis appointed Superintendent of poor-house for year 1892 at a salary of \$15.

J. W. Blue and J. A. Moore authorized to rent poor-house farm and let keeping of paupers for the year 1892.

D. Woods, claim for road orders, etc., amounting to \$218.20 was allowed.

Ordered that W. J. Deboe, county Superintendent, be allowed a salary of \$497.20.

Ordered that J. A. Moore, County Judge, be allowed a salary of \$500.

Ordered that J. W. Blue, Jr., County Attorney, be allowed a salary of \$500.

Ordered that the county levy for 1892 be and the same is hereby fixed at \$2.50 on each poll; and 10 cents on each \$100 worth of taxable property.

Ordered that 15 cents on each \$100 worth of taxable property in Marion precinct be levied for 1892 to pay interest on railroad.

Ordered that all the justices be allowed \$3 per day each for 3 days' attendance at court.

Ordered that F. J. Imboden be allowed \$20 on claims for keeping paupers.

Somebody told our office boy that somebody told him, that a man, whose name he did not remember, told a neighbor that he had read in the columns of some paper that Mrs. Cleveland has a baby. Without vouching for the truthfulness of the report we give it for what it is worth, and would add parenthetically that there are no good reasons why it should not be correct.

It occurs to us that the following from the Farmers' Home Journal covers the case about as completely as language can:

"It really seems that the politicians in the Alliance do not want the measures they demand so much as they want to be instruments by which these measures are to be obtained. They prefer to defeat relief measures unless they come through a third party with themselves at the head of it. Their motives are purely selfish and they will fail. Still the spirit of the organization is aroused and it may work along and accomplish the purposes of the true Alliance despite these men who are working for self alone."

The report of Auditor Norman to the next Legislature will show that the number of pauper idiots in the State are on the decrease. Previous to the last Legislature the State alone supported these unfortunate by an appropriation of \$75 for each per annum. The last Legislature placed a portion of this burden on the counties, and this has brought about a saving to the State of \$33,589.43. There are now 1,372 such people, while in 1889 there were 1,418.

## COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

### Fredonia Notes.

Rev. M. E. Chappell and wife were in Louisville last week.

Rev. Thomas, the Methodist preacher for this district, preached at the C. P. church last Sunday.

Mrs. Rentow and daughter, of Ohio county, are visiting Mrs. D. B. Ferguson, of Kelsey.

Miss Alma Mott was home on a visit from Morgantown Sunday.

Ed. Threlkeld went to Dycusburg Sunday.

Sam Cassidy has sold his stock of groceries to John Rice and has bought J. H. Clifton & Son's stock of dry goods.

J. P. Myers, of Troy, Tenn., attended church here Sunday.

Very few from this vicinity attended the fair at Princeton.

A mad dog bit a good deal of stock and other dogs here about two weeks ago. Several of the dogs have been killed; too many dogs in this county.

Mrs. Bulah Baker and Mrs. Jake Baker, of Illinois, have been visiting relatives here for several days.

Misses Agga Cole, Mamie Cole, Mollie Gilliland, Bobbie Wiggin, and Henry Cole were visiting in Crittenden Saturday and Sunday.

Call on Jacobs & Deboe when you want the worth of your money in groceries. Bring on your eggs and chickens.

Miss Ruby Byrd will spend the winter with relatives in Sykeston, Mo.

Sam Cassidy cannot learn music for looking at the teacher.

### New Salem.

Some sickness in the neighborhood.

The prospects for a wheat crop are very gloomy at present; about one-half of a crop is down. Our farmers are waiting for rain to finish break their land, and unless we have rain in the next ten days the crop will be extremely short.

Dr. Dallas Lattue, of Columbus, Ill., is visiting his father's family near Levisa.

Last week Mr. Pink Beshears and Miss Florence Belt, and Bud Wadley and Miss Armstrong pulled their freight for Concord and were united in the bonds of wedlock.

Bill Tyner will leave this week for the west to look at the country.

The tobacco crop is all in the houses, and a fine crop so far as quality goes.

Born to the wife of Charley Binkley, a girl.

Born to the wife of John Wolford, a boy.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. R. B. Brown, on the 4th of Oct., Mr. Dunk Hodge and Miss Essie Brown; Rev. Uley performed the ceremony.

Eq. E. H. Taylor is quite sick.

The protracted meeting at Union has closed; 2 professions, and a good meeting.

Protracted meeting closed at Emmaus on last Saturday.

Joe Pace and family, of Tola, are visiting relatives and friends in this section.

## Salem News.

Since our last everything has been very quiet about our little town.

The farmers are all busy sowing wheat and making sorghum.

The farmers have all made fine crops this year, and are happy. All of them have something to sell, and are getting good prices.

Most of our citizens are coal hauling.

Most of the road from here to Marion has been put in fine fix. Our friend Will Lowery gave his part of the road a lick last week and promised it more when it rains, and we hope he will not forget to make his promise good. I think the people of this place ought to help him to work his part of the road. It is to the interest of everybody to have good roads. Will, try them.

Our new circuit rider, Claude Thompson, is in our midst.

Bro. J. B. Lowery passed through Monday en route for Liberty church where he will assist in a series of meetings.

Bro. Ligon left Monday for Union county to attend a wedding in which one of his brother preachers is one of the contracting parties.

We understand the meeting at Union closed last Monday. Some of our boys that attended last Saturday night got in trouble on the road home. They were in a road cart and attempted to pass a buggy at a narrow place in the road, when they got into a ditch and turned over. Their horse became frightened and ran away, causing Mrs. Taylor to get thrown from her horse. We suppose the good people of Concord know that the law is for their protection and they should enforce it. So long as these things go unnoticed we may expect the boys to go from bad to worse.

If the party that took a buggy whip from a buggy at Union church last Saturday night don't want to be exposed, they will do well to bring it to Salem and leave it at the post office. If it is not done before our next to the Press we will publish them. Darknes does not always hide crime; you was seen and we know you. We don't want to expose you but we will surely do so if you don't comply with our request.

Mrs. Tom Robinson and daughter, from the Bidsville neighborhood, were visiting Robt. Boyd's family the first of the week.

Charlie Grassham, of Smithland, is visiting the home folks this week. He has just returned from Wickliff, where he passed his examination, and was granted license to practice law. It is probable that he will go to Texas soon. Charlie is one of our best boys, and wish him success in all his undertaking in life.

Our school is progressing finely. We would be glad to see some of the patrons take more interest than they do. Some boys in town start to school, but instead of going they lay around the stores and play ball in the streets till time to go home. Watch your boys and see where they are and what they are doing. Don't forget Bro. Carter's last sermon.

Our handsome young friend, Will Padon, has sold his farm and proposes to invest the proceeds in vocal and instrumental music—mostly vocal. We can't say as to his aptness, but we think he is a very attentive scholar.

Mrs. Boyd, at the post office, has a very handsome line of ladies hats which she will sell very low. Call and see them and get her prices before going elsewhere to buy.

Our friend, Will Cox, who is in the dry goods business at Hampton, gets sick almost every week and comes home to see his mother, or of course, who else would a sick man want to see.

Vic.

Frances.

The tobacco crop is all housed.

A larger crop of wheat is being sown than usual.

Protracted meeting commenced at Emmaus Sunday.

J. I. Matthews and wife returned to their home in Illinois Friday.

W. F. Oliver will go to Louisville Saturday with stock.

A. M. Walker and wife, of Cerulean Springs, are visiting friends and relatives here.

J. T. Matthews attended the show at Kuttava Saturday, and pronounced it a success.

P. D. Matthews will move to Webster county soon.

W. H. Taber is the popular butcher.

F. J. Wright is visiting in Union county.

Milton Whitt who was taken to the asylum last week is not improving any.

The man, C. H. Wallace, who appealed to his wheeler brethren for charity, and was given a crisp ten dollar bill, has turned out to be an impostor and a fraud.

Our school is moving along nicely; general average for last month was 51. Interest good; will give a full report next month.

## Weston Happenings.

On Sunday it was quite heavy and rough on boats; I mean fog.

The packets are making irregular time on account of water.

We were pleased to meet Mr. Charles Marlow not long since which information given will make many glad hearts to learn of Mr. M. V. Marlow's recovery.

Mr. Buggs, of Tola, was in this vicinity last week on business.

Mr. J. N. Smith took his boy, Walker, to school in Indiana last week.

Geo. L. Rankin was confined to his bed with headache a few days.

Mr. O. C. Lyons family is out on a visit in Illinois.

Recovering from a late shock in the earthquake, Weston has gained its population in the newly arrived of an inhabitant at Mr. R. E. L. Chron's. It is a 11 pound girl. We guess B. B. was quite happy over that arrived incident.

Our school is in a very progressive system. The professor is losing no time of improving all the way of education.

The rock quarry is still lying idle at this writing.

Ties and staves cannot ship for want of water.

Eggs are in a heavy receipt at the market at 10 cents per dozen.

Potatoes can be gotten from the store at 50 cents a bushel.

Mr. J. L. Hughes' family is out in the country on a visit.

They are catching fish daily in the river and lake.

Jim Parker got a nail stuck in his foot last week.

## The Weight of Corn.

The amount of corn of various kinds required to produce shelled bushels of fifty-six pounds has been a subject of investigation by Professor Morrow, of the Illinois station. After tests of the weight of corn ears he found that seventy pounds of the early, seventy-three of the medium and seventy-eight of the late maturing varieties would produce each, when fresh, a bushel of air dry shelled corn by the end of October. There has been found quite a variation, however, in seasons, and more difference in wet seasons than in dry ones, sometimes varying nearly 20 per cent. in the later crops which do not ripen dry. The earliest varieties will, of course, have a better chance to become hard and dry than the later and more succulent, and there will be a difference greater in more northern regions than under a lower and hotter sun farther south. Farmers who have occasion to measure or estimate corn in the ear may easily make tests by weighing freshly husked ears, and again in winter and again the next summer, and may ascertain what may be the influence to them when dealing in large quantities.

## Selection of Eggs for Hatching.

It pays to select eggs for hatching beyond knowing that they are fresh and fertile, especially in regard to size. Eggs for incubation ought neither to be too small nor too large for any variety. What is wanted is the average size from the best layers of the breed desired. Smooth, hard surfaced eggs are to be preferred over the wrinkled ones or those with indentations. Some of our fanciers make a point of selection as regards the color, while others think this unimportant.

## Agricultural Notes.

At the Michigan experiment station the best varieties of green corn for succession were found to be Cory, Crosby, Concord, Stabler and Golden Coin.

From the Connecticut station comes the report that "cotton hull ashes of the best quality are the cheapest source of potash, free from chlorides, to be found in our markets."

The corn crop of 1890 was the smallest reported in nine years in proportion to the population, as the previous one was the largest. As stated by Statistician Dodge, the reduction is about 30 per cent.

The percentage of the wheat crop of 1890 remaining in the hands of growers is, according to the department report, less by 15 per cent. than the average of the previous ten years and less by 23 per cent. than the reserve following the big crop of 1884.

For early potatoes plant early varieties, such as Burpee's Early, Early Sunrise, Early Ohio, etc. Use large seed pieces.

The scale lice on the bark of your fruit trees will soon hatch out, and when they do be ready for them. Wash the trees with soap and water or use whitewash with kerosene. Be sure and do it "on time."

## Two Rustling.

Judge—How came you to enter the house?

"But just think, your honor! Two o'clock at night, no policeman within a half a mile, an open window on the first story! Why, you would have climbed in yourself!"—Fleegable Blatter.

## Plain.

Mrs. Youngwife (to pretty applicant)—No, I don't think you will do.

Applicant—But I am able to cook in the best style.

Mrs. Youngwife—I guess I know my business. I advertised for a plain cook—Harper's Bazar.

## Notice.

All parties owing me will find their notes and accounts in the hands of R. E. Pickens. Please call on him and settle. I will be absent some time.

G. C. Gray.

## A SPECIALTY.

If you want good whisky for medicinal purposes, give us a call. We are still selling by the quart.

F. E. Robertson & Co.

Will sell you goods cheaper than the cheapest.—Gugenheim.

Robertson & Jones Jonesboro, Ark., write: "G. C. C. Certain Chili cure gives universal satisfaction." Pleasant to take. No cure, no pay. Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

If Money Is Any Thing To You,  
**READ THIS**

We are Overstocked with Goods  
and are bound to get  
rid of them.

Ladies Good Cotton Hose, 5cts pr pair.  
Ladies Good Cotton Hose 10c pr pair,  
Worth 20c.

Ladies Good winter Shoe, 65cts,  
Worth \$1.25.

Mens Good Winter Boots \$1.00,  
Worth \$2.00.

Good Check and Plaid Cotton 5c a yard.

Cotton Flannel from 5c up-

Good ALL wool Flannel 20 and 25c.

Double width Cashmer worth 30c for 19

**CLOTHING, and CLOTHING.**

We have the largest stock in the county and it will do you good to see our

\$1.25 Children and \$3.25 Boys Suits,  
\$15.00 Mens Suits for 12.00,  
\$12.00 " " " 9.50,  
\$10.00 " " " 7.50,  
7.50 " " " 5.00.

Sam Gugenheim.

**A TERRIBLE**

**EARTHQUAKE!**

On Saturday night, Sept 26, at 11 P. M., a Terr



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# THE ELEPHANT FAILED TO WALK THE TIGHT ROPE SHOW DAY, BUT WE DO NOT FAIL TO GIVE YOU AS MUCH GOODS FOR A DOLLAR AS ANY HOUSE IN THE STATE.

Respectfully

## MOORE & DONAKEY.

Dealers in DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, ETC.

### LOCAL NEWS.

**By the Quart.**  
We are still at the old stand, selling "Old Hickory," the best sour mash whiskey made, by the quart.  
F. E. Robertson & Co.  
My boots and shoes are the best.  
P. H. Woods.  
Strained and comb honey 10c per pound at Hays.

All kinds of Dry Goods at Gugenheim's.  
Clothing at lower price than anywhere at Gugenheim's.

A big line of childrens hats and caps; latest styles, prettiest designs and best goods can be found at M. Rochester & Co.

New Gingham and Calicos at Gugenheim's.

I want large onions, Irish potatoes, wheat, oats, eggs, chickens, feathers and rags, hogs, fat yearlings and MONEY; goods are cheap.  
P. H. Woods.

The nobbiest Clothing in the county is at Gugenheim's.

Don't buy a cheap hoot or shoe and expect it to wear all winter; buy good ones; P. H. Woods has them.

New Dress Goods at Gugenheim's.

Just received a lot of extra fine candies and fancy groceries.  
M. L. Hays.

Bring your eggs, fashers, dried fruit; P. H. Woods is paying living prices.

All kinds of Boots and Shoes at Gugenheim's.

Hays handles the celebrated claret soap.

Buy your Dry Goods and Clothing of Gugenheim, and get your money's worth.

Get a new style hat at Gugenheim's.

Dr. Jenkins, Dentist, is located at Morganfield, and makes special rates for patients from a distance.

Respectfully,  
N. B. JENKINS,  
Morganfield, Ky.

Bring me your bacon; my new boy is call for rations.  
P. H. Woods.

A counter full of boys' wool hats will be sold at 15c each at Mrs. Wolf's.

Look at my clothing; closing out at cost for cash.  
P. H. Woods.

Get your boy a suit of clothes from Gugenheim.

Come in and look at our window shades.  
Schwab.

Children like to take "C. C. C. Certain Chill Cure," the pleasant and guaranteed cure for Fever, Ague and Malaria—better than Quinine. Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

If your appetite is gone nothing will restore it more quickly than "C. C. C. Certain Chill Cure," the pleasant and guaranteed cure for Fever, Ague and Malaria—better than Quinine. Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

Don't Forget  
That you can get furniture, doors, glass, window shades at the lowest price.  
Schwab.

Come and look at our table scarfs, chair tidies and other novelties, they are beauties.  
Mrs Wolf

Our new stock of dress goods in plaids, ladies cloth and hannels can't be beat.  
Mrs Wolf

Clothing and overcoats at astonishing low prices.  
Mrs Wolf

Remember.  
That the old reliable Dick Dorr has charge of the undertaking department. Full line of caskets, coffins, robes and slippers at Schwab's.

Furniture of all kinds, doors, sash and glass cheap at Schwab's.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes for every body.  
at Mrs Wolf's

The largest and prettiest lot of calicoes  
at Mrs Wolf's

Our new stock is now all in and every department is full and complete at prices lower than ever.  
Mrs Wolf

Sugar, 30 lbs to the dollar at Morse & McConnell's.

John Wolf has sold his farm near Repton.

Rev. J. F. Price will preach at Chappell Hall next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Parris, from Union county, has rented one of the Long business houses and will open a restaurant.

Wm. Johnson has filed suit against the O. V. railroad to recover damages for a horse killed by the road.

Dick Williams was in Marion Monday; he is somewhat frustrated over the sudden departure of his wife from his bed and board.

Mr. C. C. Woodall, of this county, took first premiums in four of the speed rings at the Princeton fair. He was first in the one-half mile dash for two year olds; one-half mile heats for three year olds; free for all half mile heats; free for all mile dash. His two winning horses were Caleb West Jr. and Gray Tom.

There was an immense throng of horse traders in Marion Monday. Main street from Cameron's south was pretty well filled with these people and their horses all day long, and it kept the city marshal on the watch to keep them from surrounding the court house. Marion has purchased a lot purposely for these traders and the residents along the streets would be glad if they would use the lot, especially in dusty seasons.

The same old poll tax rate prevails in this county another year. It is \$2.50. Our levy court holds that as the law which provides for a poll tax is a statutory law, and the new constitution leaves the present statute in force, where there is a conflict, until the new statutes are completed, therefore it is not unlawful to make the poll-tax \$2.50 this season. As the county has a considerable floating debt, the amount levied is an absolute necessity to hold the debt down to old figures.

Mr. J. T. Glascock returned to Marion Monday, and on Tuesday night he re-organized the Marion Brass and Reed Band with a membership of sixteen, composed of Marion's best musicians. Mr. E. T. Donahey was chosen President, and W. G. Hammond was made Secretary and Treasurer. As a band instructor Mr. Glascock has few equals and no superiors in this state, and under him the Marion Band will become famous. Mr. Glascock also has charge of the Opera House, and the people may rest assured that he will give them some good shows this winter.

Hon. Sam O. Nunn was in town Tuesday arranging his bond as deputy warden at Eddyville. Of course he had no trouble whatever in filling the bond. He has been transferred from Frankfort to Eddyville, being elected by the unanimous vote of the new Board of Prison Managers under Gov. Brown. Sam, as everybody knows, was an ardent supporter of his personal friend, Gen. Hardin, for Governor. He is an admirer of Gov. Brown, and doubtless, should the Governor ever be an aspirant for other honors, he would have a warm and valuable supporter in Sam.

Jas. McLean Hughes, col., died at the residence of his father, "Uncle Si," last Friday, in the 36th year of his age. He was an industrious, well-behaved and well thought of young man. His deportment had won for him friends among the white as well as the colored people, and the respect that his white acquaintances had for him shows that the negro has as good chance in this country, when he conducts himself properly, as anybody else. We could pay no higher tribute to McLean than to say that if all the people conducted themselves as properly as he did, the vexatious race problem would be, in a measure, settled.

**A. O. U. W.**  
One of the safest and best secret organizations for insurance, social and mutual beneficiary purposes is the Ancient Order of United Workmen. Mr. G. C. Genuing, of Evansville, is in Marion to organize a lodge. He addressed a number of citizens at the Methodist church last night, and secured the names of a number of good citizens who will go into the organization.

**Notice.**  
There will be a call meeting of the Crittenden county F. & L. U. in Marion Oct. 27, 1891. All the sub-unions in the county are requested to send a full delegation. Let's have a large turnout as the State Lecturer is expected to be there.  
T. O. CAMPBELL, Pres.  
J. D. HODGE, Sec'y.

**Marriage Licenses**  
have been issued to Frank K. Mann and Mrs. Fanny Patterson; Herbert L. Glover and Dora Agent.  
Eli S. James to Miss Margaret A. Bell.  
Joe E. Lemon to Miss Annie O'way.

### Acquitted.

Dick Sharp and Wm. Graves were tied Saturday for disturbing religious worship and were acquitted.

### Deeds Recorded.

B F Horning to M V-Horning interest in land for \$200.

J B Hunt to W N Travis 34 acres for \$200.

J A Rogers to J S Moore, 119 acres for \$600.

### County Court Orders.

The following road overseers were appointed: Thos A Murray, John King, J H Young.

J G W Brooks qualified as guardian for Jimmie C Brooks.

G L Rankin qualified as notary public.

### Religious Matters.

Elders Henry and Carter closed a series of meetings at Union church Sunday night. It resulted in a general revival of the church and a number of conversions.

Rev. Mr. Griffin closed a weeks meeting at Sugar Grove Sunday. The people are well pleased with the pastor and his work. He lives at Elkton, Ky., and preaches to the Sugar Grove congregation once a month.

Rev. S. K. Breeding is holding a meeting at Hillsdale this week. The church has recently been added to his charge.

### Death of an Estimable Old Lady.

Monday afternoon Mrs. Jane Cruce, widow of James Cruce, died at her home four miles south of Marion, in the 67th year of her age. She was widely known and admired for her many christian virtues. She has raised a family of sons whose value as citizens and success as business men testify to the valuable qualities this good christian mother possessed. A. C. and Lee Cruce are rising lawyers in the west; W. L. Cruce is a well known attorney at the Marion bar; A. L. Cruce is our popular sheriff, and L. W. Cruce is one of Crittenden county's successful farmers. The remains of their beloved mother was buried in the family grave yard on the Cruce farm Tuesday afternoon, and hundreds of the friends of the family were present at the obsequies to pay a last tribute of respect to her whom they had admired and loved in her life, and mourned in her death.

### A Family Reunion.

The home of Mr. W. J. LaRue and wife, near Levisa, was the scene of a happy gathering and greeting of their children and grandchildren last week. The family consists of eight children, seven boys and one girl, whose ages extend from 19 to 37, and their average weight is 120 pounds. They are all married except the two youngest boys, who, though of age, still hang about the parental roof for shelter and protection, while the others all have pleasant homes in various parts of the country. Of the pursuits of life the represent to some degree at least, the doctor, the farmer, the miller, the merchant, the teacher, the preacher, and office-holder. Of course there were refreshing memories of by-gone days, and bursts of laughter as they recalled and recited to one another the varied events, youthful sports and games of childhood's years when they were boys together on the old plantation, and we half suspect they sighed for those merry days again. After indulging in these ever pleasing recollections they separated, each to his duties and responsibilities of life, with the hope of another reunion, if not in the old home here, in the new one over there forever.

### In Jail.

Tuesday evening Constable Geo. Kosminski, of Hurricane, came to town with Boyd Lynn and Mrs. Mollie Williams under his official care. They were arrested upon a writ sworn out by Dick Williams, the husband of the woman, charging them with adultery. Failing to give bond, they were committed to await trial which was fixed for to-day before County Judge Moore.

Mr. James Lemon and Miss Annie Crow were united in marriage at the residence of Mr. John Pickens of this place Wednesday, Oct. 14. Rev. J. F. Price officiating. After the ceremony the party went to the groom's home, where an excellent dinner was served to large party of friends.

We are willing for the people to decide who is in the lead. New goods arriving daily at Shaws.

Shaw wants your fruit, beans, feathers, chickens, eggs, etc.

You can get Salem brand at Schwab's.

### THE POOR-HOUSE.

#### A Disgrace to the County.

For some years it has been rumored that the state of affairs at the county poor-house was not such that conducted to the happiness nor comfort of those unfortunate who appeal to the charity of the county for maintenance. But until recently these floating reports were given little or no credence. Monday the Court of Claims convened to look after county finances and county institutions generally. On Tuesday the new Superintendent of the poor-house, Mr. W. H. Asher, made his first report concerning the management of this institution. His written report was handed in and read to the court by County Attorney Blue. This report showed that in the way of household goods and clothing the provision was about as scanty as it could be and bear a name. The report gave an invoice of goods on hand when Mr. Asher began his duties as Superintendent, and also of the present contents.

After this Mr. Asher was called upon for an oral statement and he made it. Mr. Asher is a responsible man and no one could or would for a moment question anything he said, yet it was hard to believe that there was a habitation in this or any other county so destitute of cleanliness, and so foreign to comfort. The paupers were clothed in rags, and scantily clothed at that, and the rags were filthy. The place of their habitation was filthy and foul in the extreme, totally unfit for a home for a human being. This was the condition when Mr. Asher made his first visit, and about the time the present keeper took charge. Since then there had been some improvement, but the inmates were still poorly clad, there was no fuel, and cleanliness was still a stranger to the place. After discussing the matter the magistrates directed the Superintendent to buy clothes for the paupers, if the keeper failed, and to deduct the cost from the keeper's allowance.

The Press could not give in detail the story told about the situation and the treatment meted out to those who have placed themselves upon the hands of a christian people for support.

There things should not be. Unless the county can give at least a decent home, surrounded at least with primitive comforts, it had better shut up the shop and announce that it has no poor-house. A mistake was made when the property now owned and used for a poor-house was purchased. The sooner it is disposed of and the poor-house located near the county seat the better it will be.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Superintendent Makes His Visits and Offers Some Pertinent Remarks.

The Superintendent visited the following schools and teachers last week:

Belmont, S. W. Paris.  
Harmony, J. K. Beard.  
Shady Grove, W. B. Davis.  
Bellville, J. F. Canada.  
Ryon, R. O. Davis.  
Fish Trap, J. P. Crawford.  
Hoods Creek, Miss Cleo Nunn.  
Applegate, Robt Wheeler.  
Prospect, Miss Sarah Cannon.  
Demsey, A. E. Clark.  
Rutherford, Sam Paris.  
Greens Chappel, W. C. M. Travis.  
Bakers, Robt Haynes.  
Poston, Miss Henrie Howerton.  
Simpon, a colored school under the tutorage of Adella Pippin.  
The teacher at Prospect, had closed her school before the Superintendent arrived.

Mr. R. C. Haynes was not teaching the day his school was visited. He said that the trustees had not furnished the necessary comforts for his school. We hope that this will not occur again and that the trustees will take more interest in the school.

Miss Cannon had closed her school to attend the nuptials of friends. While the trustees and teachers are trying to do their duties in these schools, there is too much indifference on the part of patrons. Every father had better educate his child than to give it riches, for it will make a better citizen and fight the battle of life with more ease.

I was glad to find such thorough training in the Shady Grove school. Last year this district had an old dilapidated building for a school house. It now has completed a splendid and comfortable house, well furnished. With such a house and with one of the best teachers in the county, I expect good results of this school.

I trust that every friend of common schools will lend their schools their aid.  
Respectfully,  
W. J. Dison.

### PERSONAL.

J. P. Pierce was in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. Isaac Linley, of Salem, was Marion Tuesday.

Tom Hearn, of Eddyville, was in town Friday.

Mr. J. T. Elder went to Central City Monday.

Miss Mattie Henry returned from South Carrolton last week.

Mrs. Henry Hughes visited relatives in Princeton last week.

Mrs. J. P. Debee is visiting relatives in Henderson this week.

Miss Blanch Gray, of Salem, visited friends in Marion Monday.

Mr. Al Straub, of the Monitor force, is on the sick list this week.

Tom Cochran and Will Clement, of Tolu, spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. A. Wolff and Miss Jennett Hecht went to Paducah Wednesday.

Mrs. J. T. Cochran, of Enfield, Ills., is the guest of friends in Marion.

Miss Arthur Jenkins, of West Point, is the guest of Mrs. G. C. Gray.

Miss Edna Crow has been confined to her home several days with fever.

Mr. Thos. Lowery and family, of Livingston county, were in Marion Friday.

Mrs. M. H. Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lou Mitchell, at Harrisburg, Ills.

Miss Mattie Clark returned last week from a visit to friends in Curdsville.

Mr. Newton Clement, one of the old land marks of the county, was in town Monday.

Miss Roe Chandler is at her sisters, Mrs. Cardwell's, at this place, very sick.

Mrs. Sallie Wigginton, of Caldwell, was the guest of H. P. Long's family the first of the week.

Messrs. C. E. Doss, J. M. Barnes, and O. S. Young went to Paducah Wednesday to attend the fair.

Dr. H. D. LaRue, of New Burdies, Ills., spent last week with his friends and relatives in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hurley spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives in Livingston county.

Messrs. Percy Noggle and Joe Bell, of DeKoven, attended the Masonic lodge at this place Saturday night.

Mr. J. B. Hubbard, of Shady Grove, went to Morganfield Wednesday to attend the Ohio Valley Baptist Association.

Messrs. J. N. Woods and T. J. Cameron went to Louisville Tuesday. Mr. Cameron went for the purpose of consulting a physician relative to his health.

Mr. J. T. Crawford has sold his property in Henderson and has moved to Marion, expecting to locate permanently here. Himself and wife have taken rooms in the Wilson house east of the depot.

### The Lyon County Bond Debt.

The sinking fund commissioners of Lyon county held a meeting last week and submitted to the holders of the county's railroad bonds a proposition for the settlement of the debt. The commissioners have not made any disclosures as to the nature of the proposition but the county paper learns that there is now less than 15 cents on the dollar offering once in the proposals of the bondholders and the commissioners. It is believed that a settlement will be reached and an equitable adjustment of differences be effected. It is to be devoutly hoped that such may be the case. The prosperity of little Lyon has been sorely tormented by this debt which has been an incumbrance on her citizens and a barrier to gainst immigration. Once relieved of her financial troubles that county would come to the front and enter upon a prosperity second to no county in Kentucky.—Paducah News.

When you want Jeans and flannels 25 per cent cheaper than you ever bought them go to Shaws.

Shaws for boots, shoes and clothing.

A whole stock brogan shoes for 80 cts, not selling at cost either.

See that new line of hat and caps just opened at Shaws.

The old reliable salesman R. E. Pickens and H. T. Flanary are still smiling over the counters at Shaws.

## NOW Is Your chance to get BARGAINS.

Go to PIERCE & YANDELL and see those nice presents they are going to give those who buy goods from them for the next 80 days. The presents are not worthless; they are something that will please the ladies. We quote you some prices that competition can not meet:

Ladies button shoes, all solid, \$ .98  
Men shoes, all solid, .98  
Good suspenders, 9  
Wool fill worsted, 7 1/2  
Standard calico, 8  
Fine gingham, 8  
Dress shirting, yd wide, 10  
Mon boots, all solid, per pr, 1.35  
Good quality table cloth, 20  
Mens all wool shirts, 45  
Our line of ladies wraps is complete. We have the choicest line of fine dress goods in Marion. All we want is a trial. We will please you. So don't fail to call and see us when you come to Marion. We also have a complete line of men's and boy's clothing.

### Pierce & Yandell.

New line of suitors hats at Mrs. Lovings at 25c, 40c and 75c.

New English walking hats at Mrs. Lovings.

Full line of all kinds of hats, the very latest of all styles at Mrs. Lovings. Everybody specially invited to see.

in dry goods, boots, shoes, hats and caps.

Shawls, blankets, comforts, shirts and hose surprisingly low at Shaws.

If bargains is what you are looking for go to Shaws;

In another column of this paper will be seen the ad of Adams & Wallace, blacksmiths. They have bought out "Uncle Joe" Adams, and will continue business at the old stand. These young men are enterprising blacksmith and respectfully invite the people to give them a call.

Shaws goods are bought low for cash, cash will buy plenty more, and he knows it, so he is not afraid to sell.

Shaw has a man in the city this week picking up bargains

Two cows and young calves to trade for butchering stock or cash.  
Josiah Conger.

### Ladies, Attention.

You can buy Millinery Goods of all kinds, consisting of ladies hats, lace, ribbons, velvet and trimmings lower at M. Rochester & Co's, than at any other place in Marion, and besides they will give you a nice present with every dollars worth you buy from them. A large assortment of presents to select from. Don't forget the place.  
M. Rochester & Co.

## Cheap John

Desires to return his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for their liberal patronage given him since he has been in business and wishes to inform them that bargains are arriving every day and await their coming. Special inducements to everybody on County Court day. Prices talk:  
Fine crusher hats 45c to \$1.25,  
Fine derby hats 85c to \$1.90,  
Fur planters \$1.25,  
Heavy red wool undershirts and drawers, per suit, 90c,  
Heavy cotton undershirts 25c,  
Cotton flannel drawers 30c to 45c,  
Mens cotton and woolen shirts 35c to 75c,  
Ladies all wool hose, per pair, 20c,  
Gents suspenders 17c to 35c,  
Cotton towels, per pair, 10c,  
First rate corset, 50c,  
Boots and shoes 20 per cent cheaper than elsewhere.  
Sugar and coffee lower than elsewhere.  
Good coal oil, per gal, 12c.  
Keg soda, per lb, 4c,  
2 boxes blacking for 6c,  
2400 parlor matches for 10c,  
Heavy weight oysters fixed up 15c to 17c,  
Royal gloss starch, per lb, 7c,  
Excellent laundered shirts 75c.  
Mrs. Laura Skelton has her Millinery Shop in our store, and she proposes to sell ladies hats 30 per cent cheaper than any milliner in the county. Patronize the Cheap John store. Goods all first class. We want every egg in the county and will give a little more per dozen than any one else, goods or money.  
Skelton Bros.

We would like to ask the people of Marion and surrounding country why it is that price of prints have been reduced from 7 1-2 to 5 cts within the last two months, Shaw.

Shaws is the place to buy your goods. Why? Because he has a man on market that dont do any thing else but buy bargains for him.

### Schwab Talks.

Best Coal Oil, per gallon, 10 cents  
Granulated Sugar 20 lbs for \$1.00  
Dark C Sugar 26 lbs for 1.00  
Very Best Coffee 5 lbs for 1.00  
3 brooms for 25 cents  
3 lbs soda 25 cents  
6 Fine Glass sets, 4 pieces, 25 cents  
Country lard, per pound, 7 1/2 cents  
Fine lamps from 25c to \$1.50 each  
No 1 Family mackerel, per ct, \$1.10 1.50  
Stick Candy, per lb 10 cent  
Nails per pound, 2 1/2 to 3 1/2  
quart Tin Buckets 10c  
" " " 15c  
" " " 20c  
Wash Tubs 50c  
Soap 2 bars for 5c  
Jewel soap worth 10c for 7 1/2c  
"One bar will last you a month  
Fine Glass pitchers 1/2 gal 25c  
Mosses stands each 10c  
Very best of Tea per lb. 40c  
A splendid set cups and saucers 15c  
A good set knives and forks for 50c  
Best bacon 10c lb  
Dish pans from 15 to 50c  
A splendid set plates for 30c  
The very best home made sorghum at 30 c per gal.

Shaw has the best line of work shirts in the city.

Your special attention is called to our double geared water elevators. Lefel & Co.

To the Tax-Payers of Crittenden County.

My appointments to meet the taxpayers of the county are now out and I have given all an opportunity to pay their taxes before the per cent was added, which will be done on Nov. 1. I urge upon all who have not paid to call before that date and pay, for I am compelled to settle with the state at that time, and I will be compelled to add the per cent on every person who does not pay before that time. While I dislike very much to do so. Take timely notice and attend to this and oblige your friend.  
A. L. Cruce, S. C. C.

Jeans coats, vests and pants at Shaws.

In prices, and qualities of goods we recognize no competition. Shaw.

### Millinery.

I wish to say to the public that I am still in business at my old stand in Shady Grove. I have just received a new stock of Millinery goods and I kindly solicit all to call and see them and learn my prices. It shall be my greatest aim to give satisfaction to all my customers. Thanking you for your past patronage and hoping to receive same in the future, I remain your truly,  
Belle James.

### Coal! Coal!!

I offer to the public DeKoven coal at the following prices, spot cash:  
Car load lots 8 cts per bushel.  
Less than car loads, 8 1/2c.  
J. M. Brawner,  
Marion, Ky.

## Adams & Wallace, Blacksmiths and Woodworkmen, Marion, Kentucky.

Having bought out Mr. J. W. Adams, we take this method of informing the public that we are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing and wood work.

### HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.

Repairing of all kind done. Shop at old stand on College street.  
Adams & Wallace.

## War to the Knife At Crayneville, Ky. P. H. Woods

## Cuts "old trade" Prices Into Pieces.

## The Bottom Reached! The Top Comes Off! The Sides Broken! The Record Smash'd! FOR SPOT CASH

I must have it! My business requires it! Come in and get the bargains! Lots of New Goods! Fine line of Boots and Shoes! Come at once, and when you get here say: "I'VE GOT THE CASH, I WANT SOME GOODS."

Money makes the mare go and the old mare can't go any further without more money. Bring your produce, it is same as cash with me. I will give you cash prices for it. Tell your neighbors that, for cash, WOODS is selling lots of goods.

Thanking you for your liberal patronage in the past, I am

### YOUR FRIEND,

## P. H. WOODS.

**WHY DO YOU COUGH?**  
Do you know that a little cough is a dangerous thing? Are you aware that it often fastens on the lungs and far too often runs into Consumption and ends in Death? People suffering from Asthma, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Consumption will all tell you that.  
**"IT STARTED WITH A COLD."**  
Can you afford to neglect it? Can you trifle with so serious a matter? Are you aware that  
**DR. ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY**  
for Coughs, Colds and Consumption is beyond question the greatest of all Modern Remedies?—It will stop a Cough in one night. It will check a Cold in a day. It will prevent Croup, relieve Asthma and cure Consumption if taken in time. "You can't afford to be without it." A 5 cent bottle may save you \$100. Dr. Ackers' bills—may save your life! Ask your druggist for it, or write to Dr. H. Ackers & Co. 25 New York, for book.





